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In re patent appln of)
Riffe , Daniel) Gp Art Unit _____
ACN [unknown]) Examiner Unknown
Filed:)
For: Apparatus For Testing) [Cl. 73/1+ , per O.A. in parent case]
Co-efficient of Friction of a Road)
Surface _____)

North Hollywood CA

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Preliminary Amendment

In regard to the above identified **divisional** patent application, please amend the application as follows:

Cancel claims 7 - 14.

Please change the title to -- Tripping and Re-Cocking Mechanism --.

A **Marked-up** Version and a **Clean** Version of the originally filed application are included as part of this Preliminary Amendment that is accompanying the filing of the **divisional** application..

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service in an Express Mail envelope Label # EV139792864US, with the divisional application, addressed to the Commissioner for **Patents**, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450 on January ~~26~~²⁷, 2004.

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